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RESPONSE

In response to the action mailed October 2, 2001, please amend the application as follows:

In the claims:

Please amend claims 1, 7 and 9 as follows:

1. (Three Times Amended) A single use inhaler for administering medicament by inhalation, the inhaler comprising:

an inhalation channel through which a user may inhale;

a first container containing a first dose of medicament; and

a first release means for releasing said first dose into the said inhalation channel; wherein the inhaler further comprises:

at least one subsidiary container containing a subsidiary dose of medicament;

at least one respective subsidiary release means for releasing said subsidiary dose into said inhalation channel; wherein

said first release means is independently operable of said at least one subsidiary release means such that one or more of said first dose and said subsidiary dose may be released into said inhalation channel at the same time and such that a variable dose is provided and the subsidiary

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